Sudden Relaxation in the Money Market.

The Rate on Call Declines from 1-16 a Day to 5 Per Cent Per Annum.

THE LEGAL TENDER RESERVE

Backing and Filling of the Treasury Department.

The Street Puzzled to Comprehend Treasury Policy.

GOLD HEAVY AND LOWER.

A Drooping Speculation at the Stock Exchange and a Decline in Prices, with a Reaction at the Close.

Lake Shore Exceptionally Strong in View of a Centest at the Annual Election.

Decline in Government Bonds-The Railroad Bonds Active and Firm-The Bank of England Rate Unaltered.

THURSDAY, March 13-6 P. M. Change to-day cotton was only in moderate st, and lower for both spot and future. Flour, wheat and corn were dull, but not materi changed in price.

There were nineteen bids for the government gold, at prices ranging from 114.51 to 115.07, the mount called for being \$2,945,000. The sale, which was confined to the advertised \$1,500,000, was THE FOREIGN MARKET.

The London quotations show a higher and firmer market for consols this evening, as if prices had been strengthened by the reported retusal of the Queen to accept the resignation of Premier Gladstone; but some of the improvement is doubtless due to easier money in London, although there is a decrease of £257,000 in the weekly bullion ac-

The latter fact is doubtless the explanation why be minimum of the rate of discount at the Bank of England remains unaltered at 3% per cent. United States bonds were better in feeling, and in some cases in prices to the extent of h per cent. Erie shares were unsettled and strong, and after an advance to 53 closed at 52%. The new French an was quoted steady at 614 per cent premium, but French rentes in Paris were lower at 56.50. MONEY EASIER.

The money market opened active, if not stringent, and a good deal of business on call loans was done early in the day at as high as 1-16 per cent. This was the extreme, however, on the side of high rates, for the market, after a speedy relaxation to the familiar 1-32, and an intermediate recurrence to 1-16, weakened until loans were made at is low as 5 per cent in plenty of time for bank ac-CLOSING AT 6 PER CENT

at 3 o'clock. Commercial paper was neglected, but seted a 9 a 12 per cent discount for prime names. Poreign exchange was lower to the extent of % per cent for sight sterling, the prime rate for which was reduced to 108%, the sixty-day rate remaining 108. The market was dull, with the actual s, such as there was, at a concession of 1/4 a w upon the a king rates. The contraction of the margin between sight and sixty-day bills to % per cent is an approach to an adjustment of the difference between them, which, with the Bank of

GOLD LOWER-115% A 114%. The gold market was heavy and the average quotation was lower, a few sales being made at a sectine to 114%, but the last price was 115, which continued to be bid. The weaker temper of the market is referrible to the reduction in the rates for sight exchange and also to the large exports of domestic merchandise. The course of the market, which seemed wholly unaffected by the Washington telegrams about the increase in the legal tender currency, was as follows:-

10 A. M. 115½ 2 P. M. 115 10 15 A. M. 115½ 3 P. M. 115 11 A. M. 115 3:15 P. M. 115½ 12 M. 115½ 3:20 P. M. 116½ 1 P. M. 115 4 P. M. 115 a 115½ 1:12 P. M. 11436 In the gold loan market the rates ranged from S per cent per annum to 3-64 a day for carrying. The operations of the Gold Exchange Bank were

interest, and \$2,500 on account of redeemed five-SOUTHERN SECURITIES DULL.

The Southern State bonds were exceedingly dull. The Tennessees were strong and advanced to 84, which was bid at the close for more. The Missouris sold off to 93%, but railled to 94. The new South Carolinas were offered at 19% in the forenoon, but were held higher at the last call. The old bonds were offered at 40. New North Carolinas sold at 17%. The following were the closing quotations:-Tennessee, ex coupon, 84 a 84%; do., new, 84 a 84%; Virginia, ex coupon, 45 a 50; do., registered stock, old, 37 a 42; do., sixes, consolidated bonds, 56 a 56%; do. sixes, deferred scrip, 14 ft 15; Georgia sixes, 70 a 80; do., sevens, 87 a 90; North Carolina, ex coupon, 30 a 33; do. to North Carolina Rallroad, 60 a 61; do., funding, 1806, 20 a 26; do., funding, 1868, 17 a 22; do. new, 17 a 19; do., special tax, 13 a 15; Missouri sixes, 93% a 93%; de. Bannibal and St. Joseph, 903 a 91%; Alabama fives, 55 a 60; do. eights, 80 a 85; South Carolina sixes, 30 a 40; do. new, Jahuary and July, 18 a 20; do. do., April and October, 20 a 22; Arkan-

THE BAILBOAD BONDS. The railroad bonds were more active, with a wider inquiry. Fort Wayne firsts sold at 105% and Erie lourths at 99%. Union Pacific firsts were beavy and lower, but the land grants were higher and firmer. Central Pacifics were steady. The following were the bids at the regular call as

amended by prices in sub-	sequent dealings:-
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New York Cen Ca 1987 Go	Del, Lack & West 2d m. 96
New York Cen thate. 80	Del, Lack & W 7's con. 99
New York Cen Cs. sub. 87	Tol & Wab 1st m. ex 95%
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Eric 7's. id m. 79 99%	Tol & Wab con conv 87
	Han & Naples 1st m 87
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Alb & Sus 2d bds 9914	Morris & Essex 2d m 96
Alb & Sus 3d bds 9342	N J Cen let m. n 10234
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Buff & Erie new bds 97%	
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Lake Shore con c 9934	Ohio & Miss 2d m. con 88
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Western Pacific bds 94%	M & St P Ist m, LaC D, 90%
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GOVERNMENTS DOWN.

at the earlier boards, became weak at the last call, when there was a sudden decline to 116 in the 67's, the 68's selling at 116%. The other issues were % % sower, the currency sixes being offered at 113%. The decline is attributed to the general fact of the ceming change in the Treasury Secretaryship and in part to the issue of additional paper money, act, must be convertible into coin at par before the government is allowed to anticipate the redemption of the funded debt. Hence each INCREASE OF THE CURRENCY

s a fresh barrier to resumption and a protraction of the suspension of specie payments. The following were the closing prices:-United States currency sixes, 113% a 113%; do. do., 1881, registered, 116% a 116%; do. do., coupon, 118% a 118%; do. five-twenties, registered, May and November, 115% a 115%; do. do., 1862, coupon, do., 115% a 115%; do. do., 1864, do. do., 115% a 115%; do., do., 1865, do. do., 116% a 116%; do., 1868, registered. January and July, 114% a 114%; do. do., 1865, coupon, do., 114% a 114%; do. do., 1867, do. do., 116 a 116%; do. do., 1868, do. do., 116 a 116 %; do. ten-lorties registered, 110% a 110%; do. do., coupon, 110% a 110%; do. fives of 1881, registered (not quoted); do. do., coupon, 113 a 1131; Central Pacific gold bonds, 103% a 104

STOCKS HEAVY AND LOWES.

The stock market was heavy and gradually drifted to lower prices, the decline being helped by a further fall in Pacific Mail, which went off to 56%. The weaker tone of the market was due to the demoralizing effects of the successive inflation and contraction of the currency by the Treasury Department and the uncertainty of the street as to the real position of affairs. At one time it was

had begun to contract again, and would have ah the new issues of currency withdrawn by the end of the week. This announcement and the coincithe market to the lowest prices of the day about two o'clock. Still later came a positive and what seemed a reliable assertion that the currency had been expanded half a million more to-day (making two millions in all), whereupon the market cheered up and recovered some of the lost ground. These remarks apply to the general market, but not to a few features, such, for instance, as

LAKE SHORE, which was strong throughout, and advanced to 96 on purchases by parties anxious to retain control of the company at the annual election in May close a month or so in advance. A disposition to sell the stock on long sellers' options was reso far as the transactions secured a market for the stock after the books close. The weaker look of the epposition to the foreclosure of the Boston, Hartford and Erie mortgages caused a decline in the stock to 7%. Union Pacific fell off to 34% and Western Union to 85%, as if the heretofore adherents of both companies had been transferring their interests to Lake Snore against the expected struggle for control at the coming election.

HIGHEST AND LOWEST PRICES.

prices of the principal stocks	during the	day:-
	Highest.	Lowest
New York Central	105%	105
Erie	6536	643
Lake Shore	96	95%
Wabash	74%	733
Northwestern	(No tra	nsactions
Northwestern preferred	89%	803
Rock Island	116%	115%
St. Paul	54%	54%
St. Paul preferred		743
Ohio and Mississippi	46%	46
Union Pacific		345
C., C. and I. C	41%	41 1
Western Union Telegraph	86%	855
Pacific Mail	58%	563
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Liabilities.	Liabilities.	Comparisons.
Dec. 27, 1872.	Feb. 28, 18	73.
Capital \$71,285,000	\$71,285,000	7 Y
Net profits 31,569,600	30,312,700	Dec. \$1,256,900
Circulation 28,089,700	28,111,900	Inc. 22,200
Due banks 77,471,700	83,147,400	Inc 5,675,700
Due depositors, 111,690,400	109,089,900	Dec 2,600,500
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Totals\$320,264,400	322,202,900	Inc.\$1,938,500
Resources.	Resources.	Comparisons.
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counts\$191,304,000	199,934,100	Inc. \$8,630,100
Stocks 44,003,900		Bec. 798,500
Real estate 8,320,500	8,487,500	Inc., 167,000
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Cash items and		
bank notes 6,374,000	3,186,300	Dec 3,187,700
Specie 13,784,800	14,977,700	Inc1,192,900
Legal tenders, 37,485,500	37,461,100	Dec. 24,400
Overdrafts 164,500	146,300	Dec. 18,200
		20,200

Totals.....\$320,264,400 322,202,900 ERIE RAILWAY RECEIPTS. The following is the official return of estimated weekly earnings commencing November 1, 1872:-1873.

1872. Stx Days.
Week ending March 7, 1873 . \$336,960
Previously reported. 5,527,037 \$339,137 5,743,242 Total since Nov. 1.......\$5,863,997 \$6,082,379

SALES AT THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE. Thursday, March 13-10:15 A. M.

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CLOSING PRICES	-4 O'CLOCK P. M.
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NoteIn these prices ye	sterday an error was inad- tion of Western Union, the founded with those of Union corrected trees.

COMMERCIAL REPORT.

Cotton Lower; Receipts at the Ports 13,003 Bales-Flour Dull-Wheat Nomi-nal - Corn Dull - Oats Firm-Pork Steady-Lard Easier-Groceries Quiet-Potroleum Dull-Naval Stores About Steady-Whiskey Firmer.
THURSDAY, March 13-6 P. M.

There was no perceptible betterment in the merchandise markets to-day, dainess being almost everywhere the leading feature. Cotton was still dull and lower. At the Produce Exchange the dead-lock in breadstuffs was unbroken. There was almost no demand for either flour or wheat, for home use or export. The impossibility of negotiating freight engagements was sufficient to prevent of itself any export movement, but there was no demand of moment at any price or for any purpose. There was no pressure to sell, however, though holders were willing to meet buyers whenever there was a probability of consummating business. Corn was almost equally dull and nominal. Oats improved, somewhat, as did also whiskey. Provistions were scarcely so firm, except pork, which was about the same for jobbing lots. . Grocer'es remained quiet and unchanged. Petroleum was dull, but held nominal at former figures. Naval stores were about steady, but quiet.

Coffes.-The market remained dull, weak and entirely nominal of all descriptions. We annex entirely nominal of all descriptions. We annex our former quotations, as follows:—Rio—Ordinary car goes, 173c. a 183c.; fair cargoes, 19c. a 193c.; good cargoes, 193c. a 20c.; prime cargoes, 20.; e. a 193c.; extreme range for lots, 173c. a 21c. Java—Government bags, 20c. a 21c.; do, grass mats, 20c. a 22c.; Singapore, 17c. a 18c.; Ceylon, 18c. a 19c.; Mariacaibo, 183c. a 193c.; Laguayra, 183c. a 203c.; Jamaica, 18c. a 19c.; St. Domingo, 163c. a 17c.; Porto Rico, 19c. a 203c.; Costa Rica, 183c. a 203c.; Maxia, 18c. a 19c.; Angostura, 18c. a 19c.; Savanilla, 18c. a 19c.; Curacos, 18c. a 19c., gold, per lb., 60 and 20 days' credit.
Corrox.—For lots on the spot, holders were more

Sales 3,000 bushels of choice Western at \$1 10. Prime Canada firmly held at \$1 24. a \$1 25. Rye remained inactive and entirely nominal.

Fexcaurs.—Business in the line of berth freights continued very quiet. There was but little room offering, and rates were nominally unchanged. Vessels suitable to the petroleum trade were sought after to some extent and commanded about previous rates. Tomage scarce. The engagements were.—To Liverpool, by steam, 150 boxes bacen at 468. To Cardift, by steam, 300 tierces of beef at 78. 61., and 150 bbis, pork at 58. 6d. To Antwerp, by sail, 250 boxes bacen at 468. 3d. The charters include:—A Norwegian bark, 630 tons, hence to Havre, general to Antwerp, 6,000 bbis, refined petroleum at 78. 3d.; an Italian bark hence to Gibrattar for orders, 2,300 bbis, refined petroleum at 78. 3d. Several other charters were metally and the several other charters were quiet, but prices were not essentially changed. Domestic meets with a fair jobbing inquiry at teady figures. The sales to-day were about 70 bbis of New 07. Cuba, cardiff and 5,500 bbls. of New Orleans. We quote:—Beans at from 69c. to 75c. The stock this date includes 4,261 bhds, of Cuba, 423 do. of Porto Rico, 77 do. of English slannis, and 5,500 bbls. of New Orleans. We quote:—Beans at from 69c. to 75c. The stock this date includes 4,261 bhds, of Cuba, 423 do. of Porto Rico, 77 do. of English slannis, and 5,500 bbls. of New Orleans. We quote:—Beans at from 69c. to 75c. The stock this date includes 4,261 bhds, of Cuba, entrifugal and mixed.——17c. a 19c.———Cuba, entryed, a 5c. a 36c.

Stock this day, March 13, 1873, 17,232 25,367 70,389 2,187 Comparing with stock, March 14, 1871 25,876 120,489

a Sig.
STRABNE.—The market continued dull but unchanged;
quoted at 9c. for tierces and Sig. for Inda.
TALLOW was also dull. About 10,000 lbs. sold within the
rame of Sig. a 9c. for outside and city.
WHINERE,—Receipts, 452 bbls. The market was quiet
but a shade firmer; sales 150 bbls. at 91c.

DOMESTIC MARKETS. Cotton unsettled: Goddysston, March 13, 1873.

Cotton unsettled: good ordinary, 15%c, a 16c. Net receipts, 717 bales. " good ordinary, 15%c, a 16c. Net rewise, 1,088. Sp. cs. 1,700. Stock, 68,727.

NEW ORLEANS, March 13, 1873.

Cottor —Supply fair: demand moderate; good ordinary, 7,00°, middlings, 19%c. Net receipts, 7,00° bales; gross, 7,00°, Exports—To Great Britain, 4,533; the Continent, 505; coastwise, 1,518, Sales, 1,700; last evening, 9,900. Stock, 192,221.

Cotton quiet and nominal: middlings, 18%c. Net receipts, 55 bales; gross, 580. Exports coastwise, 81. Sales, 500. Stock, 42,525. CHABLESTON, March 13, 1873.
Cotton dull; middlings, 1874c. Net receipts, 709 bales.
Exports coastwise, 913. Sales, 200. Stock, 35, 132.
Wilsington, N. C., March 13, 1873.
Spirits of turpentine dull; no sales reported, Rosin declining; no sales. Crude turpentine lower at \$3 for hard and \$4 70 a \$5 for yellow dip and virgin. Tar quiet at \$3 15.

hard and \$4.70 a \$5 for yellow dip and virgin. Tar quiet at \$3.15.

Flour quiet; Western Spring, \$7.50 a \$5; amber Winter, \$5.00 a \$9.25; white Winter, \$9.50 a \$8.10. Wheat doll; sales—a small lot of red Winter at \$1.80. Quoted—Milwaukee No. 2 Spring scarce at \$1.60; Chicago No. 2 Spring, \$1.50 a \$1.05; white Canada, \$1.75 a \$0; Duluth No. 1 Spring at \$1.65; white Canada, \$1.75 a \$0; Duluth No. 1 Spring at \$1.65; white Canada, \$1.75 a \$1.85; white Michigan, \$1.80 a \$2. Corn quiet; sales of 4.500 bushels Western, on track, at \$1.6. Oats steady; sales of 4.600 bushels Western, on track, at \$2.6. Rye—Sales nominal at \$5.6. Barley from; Canada, \$0.60, a \$5.6; two-rowed State, \$50. Barley mail quiet; \$1.50 a \$1.50; prime Canada, \$1.20 a \$1.25. Rye mail—Notice consultation of the market and the second at \$5.6. The balance of the market and the second at \$5.50. The balance of the market and the second at \$5.50.

HAVANA MARKETS.

Sogar firmer: No. 12, Dutch standard, 10½ a 10½ reals. Exchange excited; on United States, sixty days, currency, 12½ a 13½ per cent premium; short sight, 10½ a 16 per cent premium; sixty days, gold, 70½ a 30 per cent; short sight, 32½ a 32½ per cent premium; on London, 44½ a 44½ per cent premium; on Paris, 27½ a 27½ per cent premium; Spanish gold, 24 per cent premium.

EUROPEAN MARKETS.

PETROLEON MARRET.—ANTWERP, March 13.—Petroleum,

FINANCIAL.

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OFFICE BRIE RAILWAY COMPANY.
NEW YORK, Feb. 11, 1873. DIVIDEND.—The directors of this company have de-clared a dividend from the earnings of the road for the six months ending 31st December altimo, of three and one-half per cent on the preferred stock, and also a divi-dend of one and three-quarter per cent on the common stock, from the earnings of the read for twelve months ending December 31 last, both payable on the 15th day of

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· CUSTOM HOUSE AFFAIRS. Important Order from the Secretary or the Treasury.
At the Custom House the annexed order was re

ceived yesterday, which will be found all-important to parties who have overpaid taxes and are entitled to a refunding. The act of Congress is explained by Secretary Boutwell's instructions:-

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March S, 1873.

SIR—I enclose herewith for your information and guidance a copy of an act entitled "An act to Amend an act entitled an act to reduce duties on imports and to reduce duties on imports and to reduce internal taxes, and for other purposes, approved June 6, 1872.

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C. A. Arthur, Esq., Collector, New York.

The annexed is the law referred to above, transmitted to the Collector by the Secretary and which will explain itself:—

Be it (pacted by an Senate and House of Representatives of the Unied States of America, in Congress assembled, Therefore and after the date of the passage of this act, for all purposes relating to custom duties and important on, "neading bolts" shall be held and construed to be included under the term "stave bolts."

Section 2.—That barrels of American manufacture, exported, filed with domestic perforder manufacture, exported, filed with domestic perforder and returned empty, may be admitted free Collector and returned empty, may be admitted free Collector and returned on the Section of the House of the Port at which store or bonded warehouse, shall be entitled to the benefits provided for in the second section of an act entitled "An act to reduce duties on imports and to reduce internal taxes, and for other purposes," approved June 6, 1872, the same as such merchandise would ha

REAL ESTATE MATTERS.

High Prices Obtained for Riverside Drive Property-Nearly Four Hundred Thousand Dollars' Worth of Real Ess tate Sold Yesterday.

Renewed activity pervades the circles of realty operations, thanks to the fine weather (which puts everybody in good humor) and to a comparaively easy money market. At the Real Estate Exchange yesterday the room was literally jamined. The announcement of the sale of Riveride Drive property, by Jere. Johnson, Jr., evidently drew such a vast assemblage. These lots disposed of by him not only brought high prices, but exceeded the most sanguine expectations. was likewise considerable other valuable real es-

tate disposed of by other auctioneers, and the total amount realized foots up \$303,045. The particulars are given below.

Another important transaction yesterday was made at private sale by John McClave of a plot 100 feet square, located on the north side of Sixty-second street, 100 feet west of Central Park (Eignth) avenue, for \$70,000, all cash. This price is considered very low, and was accepted only on account of temporary pecuniary embarrassment of the owner. The same lots were sold in 1871 for \$60,000, and the four adjoining, fronting 100 feet on Sixty-second street and 100 feet on the avenue, were sold October 4, 1871, for \$130,000. The purchaser of the above lots secured them for a permanent investment.

Riker, Hesse & Co. report the sale of a brick house, 74 West Twelfth street, lot 20x70, for \$12,000. The following is a list of the sales effected on 'Change yesterday:
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Charles A. Goeller. b. W. of 9th av., 22x103.5 liot adjoining, w. s., 25x190.5; Charles A. Goetjer. llot adjoining 20x103.5; G. M. Miller. 2 lots n. s. of 55th st., 275 ft. west of 9th av., each 25x 100.5; Charles A. Goeller. llot adjoining, same size; G. M. Miller. llot n. s. of 57th st., 425 ft. w. of 9th av., 20x100.5; V. Van Valkenbery.

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1 lot adjoining, e. s., 20x100.5; V. Van Valkenberg. 4,800
2 lots adjoining, e. s., 20x100.5; Peter Farley. 1 lot adjoining, e. s., 20x100.5; Peter Farley. 1 lot n. w. corner Lexington av., 16.1x102.2; D. T. Remble. 2 s. bk. b. and 2 lots (831 and 833) 9th av., between 54th and 55th sts., Astor lease, 20 years to run from May, 1870, ground rent \$170 each per annum. 10,000
1 lot s. s. of 1024 st., 103 ft. e. of Riverside Drive, 25x 100.11; Howard W. Coates 5,600
1 lot adjoining on the e., 25x100.11; Howard W. Coates 5,600
1 lot adjoining on south, 25x100; W. B. Dixon 5,400
2 lots s. s. of 1024 st., 183 ft. e. of Riverside Drive, each 25x100.11; G. Wild. 11,650
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3 lots e. s. of 11th av., 25.2 ft. n. of 98th st., each 25.3x

OBITUARY.

late Deputy Superintendent of the "Box Department" in the New York Post Office, and brother of Wednesday morning, at his residence in this city, in the forty-fourth year of his age. Mr. Stewart had held, during the sixteen years of his office, various important trusts, in the fulfilment of which he was zealous and conscientious, and his remarks he was zealous and conscientious, and his remarkable ability for the prompt and careful adjustment of affairs connected with his management won for him the approbation of all whose interests required his aid in the many intricaces of postal matters, while his uniform courtesy of manner in the discharge of his duties commended the respect of all who had business relations with him. His loss will be severely felt in the department he has left yad cant and by the large circle of friends whom he had gathered to him by his generous and manly character no less than by the faithful discharge of his duties in a position to which he for many years has rendered both dignity and honor.

W. H. Pendleton. Rev. W. H. Pendleton, an efficient and scalous clergyman of the Protestant Episcopal Church, died at his residence, Piedmont Station, Va., on the

10th instant, to the great regret of his parishioners, his ecclesiastical superiors and relatives. was the eldest son of William Pendleton, of was the eldest son of William Pendleton, of Virginia. At an early age he entered upon a business life, in which, by his prudence and attentiveness, he was very successful, and had rare opportunities offered to him in New York, which he declined, as he left called upon to preach the Gospel. He graduated from Kenyon College, Gambier, Ohio, and ensered the Theological Seminary at Alexandria, Ya., after which he was ordained by Bishop Meade in the Protestant Episcopal Church, of which he had always been a zealous and consistent member. He was a hard working student. He was the means of bringing many souis to Christ, and was particularly noted for his influence over young men, who came freely to him and related their difficulties, and always were sure of receiving sympathy and good counsel. His first charge was in Fauquier county. Virginia, where he built up another parish at a place called Salem. He was next called to a charge very near Forest Depot, Va., where he continued until failing health compelled him to retire, and in May, 1872, he removed to Fauquier county.

BEWARE OF BOGUS EXPRESS MESSEN. GERS.
TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD:-

On Tuesday evening a weil-dressed, gentlemants young man called at my house and informed me that he was in the employ of Adams Express Com-

pany, and had been sent to inform me that a trunk pany, and had been sent to inform me that a trunk addressed to me remained uncalled for at the express office. He added that the trunk had been insured for a large amount, and evidently contained valuable laces, and that I could have it on payment of the freightage—\$11 60. On calling at the express office I was informed that the whole story was a myth: that the company in such cases always sent printed notices, and that the day before a lady had been defrauded of \$10 py means of a story of the same kind.

I take this method of warning the public to be on their guard against this novel mode of swindling. LEX.

MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

Married.

FLIESS—CROSS.—On Thursday, March 13, at the Fourth Universalist church, Fifth avenue, by the Rev. E. H. Chapin, Robert A. Fliess, of New York, to Sara H. Choes, of Red Bank, N. J., No cards.

RICKETTS—RING.—On Wednesday, March 12, 1873, at Westminster church, Elizabeth, N. J., by the Rev. W. C. Roberts, George R. A. Ricketts to Laura Vinginia, daughter of Charles H. Ring, Esq., of Cornwall on the Hudson.

SUFTON—RUPP.—On Wednesday, March 12, 1873, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. J. Clement Freuch, Thomas G. Sutton, of Purchase, N. Y., to Emeline, daughter of Michael Rupp, of Brooklyn. No cards.

Whittake—Davis—in this city, en Wednesday, March 12, by Rev. Dr. Bellows, Dr. James T. Whittake, Of George H. Davis, of New York.

Willard—Dusenserry.—On Thursday, March 13, at the residence of the bride's parents, 254 Westfourteenth street, in this city, by the Rev. Dr. Hart, of Newark, S. E. Willard, of Hoboken, to Kate A., daughter of W. F. Dusenberry.

Died.

BARNARD.—On Wednesday, February 12, 1873, CATHERINE, the beloved daughter of Elizabeth and John Barnard, aged 4 years, 11 months and 22 days, The relatives and iriends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of ner parents, 30% West Thirteenth street, on Friday, 14th, at one o'clock P. M. Bogardus,—On Wednesday morning, March 12, Maria S. Bogardus, daughter of the late General Robert Bogardus, of this city, in the 75th year of her age.

Rebert Bogardus, of this city, in the foth year of her age.

The nuneral will take place from St. Mark's church, Second avenue and Tenth street, on Priday, the 14th inst., at half-past three P. M. Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend.

Brosnan.—On Wednesday, March 12, at eight o'clock P. M., Timothy Brosnan, sen of Martin and Eilen Brosnan, aged 1 year, 4 months and 13 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Friday,

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of his grandmother, Mrs. Lynes, 79 Washington street.

CHAFMAN.—At Jersey City Heights, on Saturday, March 8, Eliza CHAFMAN, wife of John Chapman, aged 75 years.

The remains were taken to Fiemington, N. J. CLARKSON.—At Potsdam, St. Lawrence county, N. Y., on Monday, March 10, Thomas Streatherlin CLARKSON, in the 74th year of his age.

COOLEDGE.—On Wednesday, March 12, LEHA, youngest daughter of William P. and Susan Cooledge, on the 16th year of her age.

Funeral services will be held at 16 East Thirmeth street, on Saturday, March 15, at half-past twelve P. M. Relatives and friends are respectfully in-